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<p>I hereby appoint customer no. <u>32172</u>, DICKSTEIN, SHAPIRO, MORIN & OSHINSKY, LLP, as attorneys with full power of substitution and revocation to prosecute this application, to transact all business in the Patent & Trademark Office connected therewith and to receive all correspondence.</p> <p>SEND CORRESPONDENCE TO: <u>DICKSTEIN, SHAPIRO, MORIN & OSHINSKY, LLP</u> <u>1177 Avenue of the Americas, 41st Floor</u> <u>New York, NY 10036-2714</u></p> <p style="text-align: right;">DIRECT TELEPHONE CALLS TO: (212) 835-1400</p> <p>In the event that the filing date and/or Application No. are not entered above at the time I execute this document, and if such information is deemed necessary, I hereby authorize and request my attorneys/agent(s) to insert above the filing date and/or Application No. of said application.</p> <p>I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.</p>																			
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